

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Saturday, April 9, 2022
9:00 AM PDT

Day 1 (Saturday): Strong winds and dry conditions will lead to Red Flag conditions in portions of the Sacramento Valley, with gusty winds expected across much of the state.

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CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

04/09/22 - 04/15/22

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Inland/ Southern/ Coastal	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern			
Snow			Inland				
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)			Coastal				
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Inland	Inland					
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

WEATHER KEY POINTS

04/09/22 - 04/15/22

Saturday - Friday

- Gusty north winds are forecast for the Sacramento Valley, northern San Joaquin Valley, parts of the Bay Area and northern coast Saturday and Sunday, with gusts of 30-40 mph, locally to 50 mph. Periods of gusty winds will continue through Monday
 - Critical fire weather conditions are expected across the Sacramento Valley during this time due to the strong winds and dry conditions. Any new fires could spread quickly.
- Temperatures will see a cooling trend this weekend and into much of next week, with some rain and mountain snow expected at times for mainly the northern half of the state Sunday night through Tuesday. Additional precipitation is possible over northern California for late week.
 - Some travel impacts are possible in the northern California mountains as well as the Sierra due to accumulating snowfall
 - Some light precipitation is also possible for coastal southern California, though no widespread impacts are anticipated
 - Isolated thunderstorms with gusty winds and small hail are possible on Monday, mainly for the northern coast
- Additional gusty west winds will develop in the southern California mountains, deserts, and along and east of the Sierra through the weekend and into early next week.
 - Wind gusts of 45 to 65 mph are expected, with localized gusts up to 75 mph possible at times, strongest on Saturday and again Monday afternoon into Tuesday morning

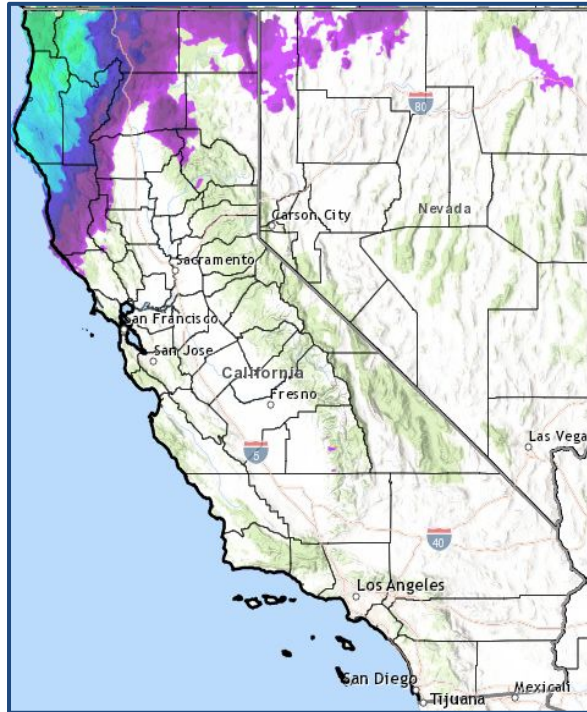


PRECIPITATION FORECAST

04/09/22 - 04/11/22



Saturday



Sunday



Monday

Note: Forecast precipitation amounts are an average for any particular location. Thunderstorms may produce locally higher rainfall amounts.

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

04/14/22 - 04/22/22

6-10 Day Outlook (April 14 - April 18)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are favored across northern and eastern California, with normal temperatures favored across the remainder of the state.

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation is favored across the northern third of the state as well as across far southern California, with below normal precipitation favored for central and into much of southern California

8-14 Day Outlook (April 16 – April 22)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is favored statewide



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